To All,

The SBA is seeking nominations for the Frances Perkins Vanguard Awards, recognizing exemplary use of women-owned small businesses by federal buying activities, federal procurement officials, and industry.

Please click the corresponding links to get Information & guidelines: <u>Nomination Letter to Industry</u>, <u>Nomination Letter to OSDBUs</u>, and the <u>Federal Self-Nomination Form</u>. **The deadline for nominations is November 11, 2005**, for presentation during Small Business Week - 2006.

I hope you will consider submitting a nomination to recognize positive contributions to the success of women-owned businesses in federal contracting or subcontracting.

Best regards, Carol Decker SBA PCR